

EQIP 2003: Henry County Local Ranking Worksheet *(revised 6/17/03)*

Producer: _____ Farm # _____ Tract# _____ Date _____

Livestock Resource Concern

Watershed Priority *(check only one)*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 10 points | Tract offered lies within the Flatrock River or Whitewater River watersheds |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 6 points | Tract offered lies within the West Fork White River watershed |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2 points | Tract offered lies within the Big Blue River or Sugar Creek watersheds |

Size of Operation *(check only one)*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 5 points | A CNMP will be developed and implemented |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3 points | Practices will be applied that correct the potential discharge of animal wastes into a stream, ditch, or tile inlet |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 point | Livestock operation regulated by IDEM Concentrated Feeding Program |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 0 points | No animals associated with request |

Total: _____ points

Local Ranking for Livestock is *(circle one)*: **HIGH** 11-15 points **MEDIUM** 5-10 points **LOW** 0-4 points

Water Quality Resource Concern

(check only one)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> HIGH | Treatment area less than 1/4 mile from blue line or dashed blue line on topo |
| <input type="checkbox"/> MEDIUM | Treatment area between 1/4 and 1/2 mile from blue line or dashed blue line of topo |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOW | Treatment area greater than 1/2 mile from blue line or dashed blue line on topo |

Soil Erosion Resource Concern

Erosion Classification *(check only one)*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 5 points | 1/3 or greater of the soil of the treatment area is classified as HEL in the FOTG |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3 points | 1/3 or greater of the soil of the treatment area is classified as PHEL and HEL in the FOTG
(the combination of PHEL and HEL acres can equal 1/3 or greater and receive 3 points) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 point | Soil of the treatment area is classified as NHEL in the FOTG, or less than 1/3 meet PHEL or HEL criteria |

Ground Cover *(check only one)*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 5 points | Ground cover of treatment area is crop residue from conventional tillage |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3 points | Ground cover of treatment area is crop residue from continuous conservation tillage (corn & soybeans) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 point | Ground cover of treatment area is grass, legumes, forbs, shrubs, trees, or a combination |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 0 points | Treatment area is covered with an impervious surface |

Total: _____ points

Local Ranking for Erosion is *(circle one)*: **HIGH** 8-10 points **MEDIUM** 5-7 points **LOW** 0-4 points

Forest Health Resource Concern

(check only one)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> HIGH | Existing woods will be enlarge by 50% or more |
| <input type="checkbox"/> MEDIUM | Timber stand improvement will be implemented on the offered tract |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOW | Tree planting will revegetate eroded areas or steep unfarmable slopes |